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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Toru IIZUKA et al. Conf.: 5043
Appl. No.: 09/940,467 Group: 1714
Filed: August 29, 2001 Examiner: K. WYROZEBSKI LEE
For: PNEUMATIC TIRE

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November 24, 2003

Sir:

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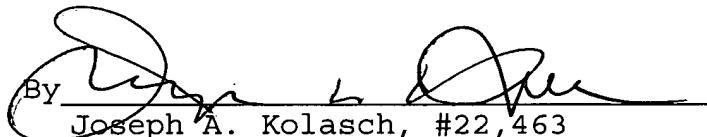
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Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2003, the period of response having been extended two (2) months to November 23, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification;
Amendments to the Claims; and
Remarks;
Substitute Specification (clean); and
Substitute Specification (marked up).

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